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PRESENT VALUE MUST BE FIXED

Court Instructs Bridge Commissioners to Disregard Former Offers of Sale.

An extended session of the commission appointed by the Hastings Court to fix the value of Mayo's Bridge property, sought to be condemned by the city, was held yesterday, at which the commissioners received instructions from the court as to the basis of valuation.

In his instructions Judge Witt stated that just compensation must be made to the defendant company for the property proposed to be taken, namely, the physical structure known as Mayo's Bridge, together with the abutments and a strip of land across Mayo's Island ninety feet in width, and also the value of the franchise to operate a toll bridge. He instructed the commission also to consider the productivity of the right, which depends on the net earning power, present and prospective, but the value to be assessed as if the defendant company were a seller and not the city of Richmond as if it were the buyer. The commissioners were, further, to ascertain what damages, if any, will result to adjacent or other property of the defendant beyond the peculiar benefits. It was, that will accrue to the residue of the properties of the defendant company.

Additional testimony is to be heard on several points, and the case is to be argued. It may be several weeks before a decision is rendered. When that is approved by the court, the city may take possession by putting up the money to the order of the court even though appeal proceedings follow.

BODY NOT IDENTIFIED

Many Visit the Morgue, But None Know the Suicide.

Reports and statements of divers persons to the contrary, the body of the man who committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid in front of 21 North Seventeenth Street, Monday night, remains still unidentified in the morgue of Wood's undertaking establishment, 218 East Broad Street. Many have visited the morgue, but none knows the man.

There is nothing remarkable or unusually mysterious about the suicide. In the opinion of the police, and judging by his general appearance, and by the clothes he wore, the man was a laborer, perhaps.

On the day before he committed suicide he applied at Romm and Grueck's, 127 North Seventeenth Street, for a suit of mixed color, and his laundry mark was A-33. His shirt was of black cotton, with horizontal stripes. The police are still investigating, but with small chance of success.

Holds Conference Session.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit held an extended conference session yesterday for consideration of cases heretofore argued. No decisions were handed down.

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PROCTOR MILLER LEAVES COLLEGE

Resigns From Dr. McGuire's Business Staff After Twelve Years of Service.

TELLS WHY HE RETIRES

Accepts More Lucrative Position, but Remained During Work of Reorganizing.

Announcement was made yesterday morning that William R. Miller had tendered his resignation as proctor of the University College of Medicine to become treasurer of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia. Mr. Miller's action came as a general surprise to the public, though not to the directors. He had notified the board of his intention following his acceptance of the new position some months ago.

The announcement was made to a special called meeting of the faculty and students held in the college building, and was received with general regret. In giving up his position, Mr. Miller stated that he had refused the new position offered him would have been to have acted against his own best interests, and that the change was purely and simply a business proposition. He explained that the treasurer of the insurance company had been offered some months previous, and that he had remained in his old position in the interval in order that he might be of possible assistance to the institution in its preparation for the present session.

Got Things in Shape First.

For him to have withdrawn his assistance earlier, while the work of re-establishing the institution was in progress, might have in some way interfered with prospects, and it was for this reason that he had deferred his leaving until the present time.

Mr. Miller stated that at no time during the twelve years of his connection with the college had relations with directors, faculty and students been more congenial than now. During the entire period of his incumbency he had been fortunate in having a perfect understanding with every official of the college, and at no time had there been anything even resembling friction. However, now that the future of the college was assured, and that its interests were protected, he felt that he might withdraw from his old post, not possibly in better shape.

For twelve years Mr. Miller has had charge of the practical affairs of the college, and his loss will be greatly felt. Splendidly able and well paid to him yesterday by Dr. Stuart McGuire, president of the college, and by others of his associates. There could be no greater evidence of Mr. Miller's loyalty to the college than the fact that he had been offered and had accepted the new position he remained with the institution and shouldered the greater portion of the task of reorganizing from the effects of the fire of January, making possible the uninterrupted operation of the school through the present session.

Hard Work After Fire.

In the work of bringing order out of chaos, which resulted from the destruction of the old college building, Mr. Miller was one of the leading spirits, and to him individually goes the greater portion of the credit for the tremendous task which was involved in securing and fitting up temporary quarters now being occupied by the college.

There is some satisfaction, however, in the fact that Mr. Miller will remain secretary of the board of directors of the institution, and that he will continue to share a part in the direction of the affairs of the college.

Mr. Miller will leave Richmond today for several weeks' vacation. He is planning to visit his son, who is a law student at the University of Virginia, and afterward, relatives in Fanquier county. He will return to Richmond on his new duties November 1, enter upon his new duties, and will be appointed to succeed Mr. Miller, the duties of the office heretofore occupied by him having become too extensive for one man to handle.

It is understood that the affairs of the institution will be conducted by a new arrangement which is now being considered.

LANDMARK SOLD AT FANCY PRICE

Varina Farm, Where Rolfe and Pocahontas Spent Honeymoon, Changes Hands.

A deed of bargain and sale was recorded in the county clerk's office yesterday conveying Varina Farm, one of the oldest and most historic estates in Henrico county, from Alvin E. Davis to Louis H. Stoneman, George J. Stoneman and Thomas G. Sydnor. The consideration named in the deed was \$10, but it is understood that the price paid was \$102,500.

The Varina Farm, which is situated on 1,312 1/2 acres, more or less, and fronts on James River. From the earliest Colonial times Varina Farm has been one of the landmarks on the lower James. It was there, tradition has it, that John Rolfe and Pocahontas spent their honeymoon. The first house was built during Colonial times, but was destroyed before the Civil War, and another, the one which is now standing, was built by the Alken family that owned the place up to and prior to the war. Now, one may see the marks of bullets and cannon ball in the brick walls. General Butler, when he captured Fort Harrison, had his headquarters on the place.

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Many Lose an Eye.

Coleman Gorman, the six-year-old son of Mrs. W. H. Gorman, of 504 West Main Street, was badly injured early yesterday afternoon by the explosion of a railroad dynamite torpedo. The boy found the torpedo and hampered on it until the explosion.

He was attended by Dr. Harshbarger, of the city ambulance corps, who took him to the Memorial Hospital. He may lose the sight of an eye.

Mission Work in South America.

Rev. T. B. Ray, D. D., educational secretary of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, who has spent the past four months in a tour of the mission fields in South America, will speak on mission work in South America at Calvary Baptist Church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

Officers at School.

Non-commissioned officers of the First Battalion, First Regiment, took part in a military school conducted at the army last night by Battalion Adjutant C. G. Sneed.

MOORE DECLARED PARTY CHAIRMAN

Republican Committee Decides Unanimously Against John G. Luce.

QUESTION OF ELIGIBILITY

Fight Ended by Party Authority. Seventh District Considered.

By unanimous vote, the Republican State Executive Committee, in session at Roanoke last night, decided that C. Ridgeway Moore is the party chairman for the Third Congressional District. John G. Luce, the contestant, was present and presented his case, but without avail.

The contest over the chairmanship had its inception in the election of a city chairman for Richmond a few weeks ago. Prior to a mass-meeting held in Belvidere Hall for the election of delegates to the district convention, a caucus was held, in which it was decided that Mr. Moore, who until recently was census supervisor for the Third District, should become city chairman in place of Melvin Flegenhelm, the latter and his friends took his fight to the floor of the mass-meeting, but were overwhelmingly defeated, the prearranged slate going through without a hitch.

Elected Moore.

Two days later the district convention met to nominate a candidate for Congress. Another caucus was held, to determine who should be the nominee and who should become district chairman. At this meeting Mr. Moore was chosen to succeed John G. Luce, the incumbent. Mr. Luce had his friends and did not give up without a struggle, although it was unavailing.

Before the convention adjourned Mr. Luce attempted repeatedly to force his name upon the convention, but was rebuffed. Mr. Luce did not answer. He said after the convention that he had not done so because of the order, although he still declined to say whether or not he had made the remark.

Eligibility Challenged.

At the close of the election of chairman, Mr. Luce's supporters raised the question of the eligibility of Mr. Moore. The point was that he was a city chairman, and that the district convention provided that district committees should be composed of a district chairman and two or more city chairmen. This would place Mr. Moore, it was explained, in the position of voting once to reject a name, and then to vote for it as chairman. Mr. Luce did not answer. Or, if he did not, in case of a tie, this city would lose its proper representation in the district already set in the Sixth District, where R. H. Angell was both city and district chairman.

Mr. Moore announced that within a short time he would resign the city chairmanship, although he has not as yet followed the convention. Mr. Luce went into the papers, announcing that he was still district chairman, and followed, heated on the part of Mr. Luce and reluctant on the part of Mr. Moore. The former chairman thought that a contest of the party, way trying to get control of the party, not for the purpose of building it up, but to keep control of the offices.

Mr. Moore's contention was apparently sustained when most of the county chairman responded to his call for a meeting of the district committee. It has now been finally disposed of, so far as the party authority is concerned, by the State Executive Committee.

Telegraphic reports from Roanoke, the committee was still in session at midnight last night, voting to straighten out the party. Several prominent names were nominated candidates for Congress. It was said that indications were given that Mr. Moore would be elected, although there was a question as to whether the two candidates, whose friends have been warring for some time, would abide by the result.

All the committeemen were present last night, in person, except one, who was represented by a proxy.

Representative C. B. Slemo, State Senator John M. Parsons, Internal Revenue Commissioner Roy A. Cabell, John G. Luce, C. Ridgeway Moore and Edgar Allan, Jr.

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SOUTH RICHMOND MAINS TOO SMALL

Manufacturing Plants Want Larger Pipes for Fire Protection.

WATER FOR WESTHAMPTON

Committee Tables Proposition to Extend Mains Miles Beyond City Limits.

An application from the Standard Paper Manufacturing Company for additional water connections took up much of the time at night. The committee on Water last night. The company already has connection with a four-inch main in lower Hull Street, South Richmond. In remodeling and enlarging its factory recently, it installed a sprinkler system, which the insurance companies claim should be connected with a six-inch main.

Superintendent Davis reported that no other party would be served by enlarging the main in lower Hull Street, and that the change would cost \$600. He added that it was his plan when the new Mayo's Bridge was constructed to connect the main in Cary Street, thus giving adequate fire protection to all the manufacturing plants grouped about the south end of Mayo's Bridge. Mr. Hobson thought the city should do everything it could to aid manufacturing plants, but Chairman Mills stated that in the past the American Tobacco Company, the Locomotive Works and other large plants desiring special connections for fire protection, had borne all the cost of installation. A subcommittee consisting of Messrs. Hobson, Lumsden and T. Davis was named to look into the matter.

Application From Westhampton.

An application from citizens living about Westhampton Park for the right to use city water was tabled. Superintendent Davis reported that there was no main nearer than Greenlaw Avenue, in the city limits, a distance of several miles.

Only two bidders offered to supply the department with coal for the coming year, the City Coal Company bidding on anthracite \$6 in the city, and \$7.50 in the country, and the White Oak Coal Company wanted \$6.50 in the city, and \$8.30 at the basins. The contract went to the former company.

The committee recommended to the Council the transfer of \$12,000 of unexpended balance from the bond issue provided for installation of electric pumps at the new pump house, to be used in installing a new centrifugal pump at the Lee District stand pipe. It was represented that the demands on the stand pipe had increased to such an extent that about reach the pump capacity of the present pump.

Cleaning Old Reservoir.

Superintendent Davis reported satisfactory progress in cleaning out the old Marshall Reservoir, and contract was awarded for a grade of coping around it and for other improvements. The committee on Water will make an inspection of the settling basin, pump houses and reservoirs next Tuesday afternoon, leaving from the Main Street Station at 1:30 o'clock, and going by train through to the upper end of the basins.

DRINKS LYSOL

Colored Child Climbs Onto Table to Reach Dandy Drug.

Attracted by the appearance of the bottle, Joseph Hawkins, colored child, climbed on to a table yesterday afternoon and emptied the contents of a bottle containing Lysol, a disinfectant, into a glass. His mother, who was in an adjoining room, heard the infant's cries, and had presence of mind enough to administer an emetic. Dr. Harshbarger, of the city ambulance, gave further treatment, and the child was brought out of danger.

Sold Unsound Fish.

Aaron Logan, colored, charged with breaking into the stable of E. A. Trice and stealing therefrom a set of harness valued at \$40, was sent to the city jail yesterday morning.

W. H. Davis, charged with selling unsound fish, was fined \$10.

FACULTY FORMS LOCAL BRANCH

Richmond College Professors Affiliate With State Teachers' Association.

Members of the faculty of Richmond College were guests at the home of President F. W. Boatwright on Thursday evening and formed a local association of the State Teachers' Association, which is a part of the Virginia Conference on Education. After dinner President Boatwright called for speeches from Professors Anderson, Loving, Metcalf and McNiel.

President Boatwright himself called attention to the pioneer work of Professor Clark and Clark was editor of the Educational Journal of the State, and to the labors of Professor C. Mitchell in organizing the association in Virginia. He admitted the fact that the professors of the college are heavily burdened with work, but that Richmond and the whole State had rallied to the college in its campaign and that one-sixth of the school principals in the State were Richmond College men.

College men, however, are Richmond men, and their institution owes its allegiance and hearty encouragement to the educational development which is now in progress throughout the Commonwealth.

D. R. Alderson, professor of history and political science, was elected president of the local association; Dr. T. A. Lewis, professor of philosophy and education, vice-president, and Dr. R. E. Loving, professor of physics, secretary and treasurer. J. C. Metcalf, professor of English literature, was elected a delegate to the convention which will be held in this city in November.

Police Changes EFFECTIVE TO-DAY

Sergeant Tyler Assigned to Headquarters, and Sergeant Zimmerman Night Inspector.

Changes and transfers decided upon by the Board of Police Commissioners in its meeting Wednesday night will take place to-day. Sergeant John Tyler, of the Second District, will be assigned to headquarters as headquarters sergeant, with full authority to act in the absence of the Chief of Police, to do duty only at night, and Sergeant Joseph Zimmerman will be detailed as inspector-sergeant, his duties being to inspect the police force in both districts. Each will have his respective post for a week, and then will change with each other. Sergeant Tyler acting as inspector-sergeant, and Sergeant Zimmerman as headquarters sergeant. Both men will do this work for a month. Other sergeants will follow as their turn comes.

Patrolman Shells and Bicycle Policemen Palmer and Clarke will be transferred from the Second District to the First, and Patrolman Barker and Bicycle Policemen Bryant and Atkinson from the First to the Second District. There are other changes also, but they concern only the beats.

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PITIFUL RECORD OF BIG COMPANY

United Insurance Concern Paid Out Nearly All Receipts for Expenses.

What will doubtless prove a rueful lesson to those Virginians who, disregarding the warnings of the Bureau of Insurance, through The Times-Dispatch, purchased stock in the United Insurance Company is to be found in the facts adduced by an examination of the statements made by the New York Insurance Department, just published. It is believed from the showing made that this stock is worth perhaps 10 cents on the dollar and that the investors will have nothing much except the bag for their holdings.

Time and again the department issued its statements regarding the extravagant methods of promoting new insurance companies. The burden of its song was: "Don't buy insurance stock from traveling agents."

It is found, however, that a good many people in this State bit. A letter received from a prominent professional man shows that he bought \$1,000 worth of stock.

As long as a year ago the Bureau of Insurance, in one of its bulletins, in the United Insurance Company, "in view of the past record of its promoters, the bureau cannot recommend the public of this State to invest in the stock of this company."

Expenses Heavy.

The trouble with these companies was that their expenses were too heavy. Large commissions were paid to the agents and to the promoters. Where they were not swindling schemes, they were poor business propositions for this reason. The one in question appears to have been excessively poor.

The United Insurance Company of Arizona, which failed, and the United Insurance Company of New York, were to form the biggest thing of its kind ever dreamed of. The literature of the United covered the face of the country, and agents descended on the fact that this was to be the most stupendous proposition which ever came down the insurance highway. Under the new law, which permits the New York department to examine companies in process of formation and prior to licensing, examiners have been taking a look into the books of the United Insurance Company, and according to the report, it is now being conducted by men who really had in mind the formation of an insurance company and were not merely promoters. Their methods are less extravagant than were those of the predecessors, but their literature is more conservative. But their treasury, perhaps because of the former procedure, does not look particularly well.

Gave Notes for Stock.

The proposition was to issue 10,000 shares of the par value of \$1 each. It was intended to give the stock to the public, known to man O. L. Van Laningham was the organizer and original operator. The directors appear to have taken blocks of stock, for which they gave their notes, although one of them put up \$50 in actual cash. Big salaries were paid to salesmen. These salesmen were made to the literature of 55,225 shares of stock for \$245,000, of which \$68,000 was paid for in notes, \$1,300 in other securities, and \$175,000 in cash was secured. Of these total cash collections of \$176,000, all has been paid out in salaries and expenses save \$18,000. The fixed expenses run to \$182 a month. This is the concern in which some Virginians own stock.

Van Laningham severed his connection with the company, apparently, on November 1, 1909, receiving \$15,000. In fact, he has not been paid for many days later he seems to have been paid quite a large amount in addition, followed by other payments.

"It was decidedly careless," says the report, "for the company to have published, as a part of its prospectus, a statement containing a misstatement of fact."

MUST MOVE STEPS

First National Bank Agrees to Get Back to Property Line.

Building Inspector Beck has notified the First National Bank that its remodeling its building recently damaged by a cave-in from excavations under the city hall, must move its massive stone steps back to the property line. For years the city has been attempting to clear Main Street of obstructions, and this case was a menace to safety, and which lay the city liable to adverse verdicts in the event of any citizen falling and sustaining injuries. The Building Code did not authorize the Inspector to order the removal of such obstructions, but has a clause to the effect that when such buildings are altered or repaired, the new permit is only to permit construction back of the property line. The permit was issued after the bank had agreed to the alterations required.

LOOKING FOR GRAVEL

Street Improvements Held Up for Lack of Material.

A subcommittee from the Council Committee on Streets, which has been inquiring into the question of securing a proper supply of gravel for use of city streets, met yesterday afternoon in the office of City Engineer Hollins and consulted with the claims of that office as to various plans proposed. The committee consists of Messrs. Underhill, Davis and Blay. It was stated that several deposits of gravel of good quality were in view, if the owners would make a reasonable price to the city for the privilege of hauling it away. It is expected that beds will be secured if possible, both in the East and West Ends, so as to lessen the length of the haul, and to that extent reduce the expense of gravelling streets. If a proper supply can be obtained, a large amount of traveling and rolling will be done this fall.

The subcommittee will report to the regular meeting of the Committee on Streets on Monday night.

COL. M'CABE HELPS PERMANENT FUND

Gives \$500 to Virginia Historical Society in Form of Memorial.

The first meeting of the Executive Committee of the society, which the summer recess was held at the society's building yesterday. In the absence of President W. Gordon McCabe, who was unable to be present, Vice-President E. V. Valentine was in the chair.

A letter was read from President McCabe announcing his gift of \$500 to the permanent fund of the society. This gift is to be a memorial to a much loved grandchild, who died last year, and is to be called the Virginia Historical Society's Memorial Fund. The work has been very carefully and well done, and not only adds greatly to the appearance of the portraits, but insures for them a much longer existence in good condition. Resolutions expressing the very sincere thanks of the society to the Colonial Dames were adopted.

Among the other gifts during the summer were a desk used by John R. Thompson in London and New York, given to the society by Charles H. Clark, of Hartford, Conn., at the suggestion of Major J. C. Hemphill, of this city. A picture of Gilbert Hunt, the negro whose heroic exertions saved so many lives at the burning of the Richmond Theatre in 1811, was given by Mrs. Crouch and Mrs. Boykin, through Miss Colquhoun. They also gave a large quantity of Confederate currency.

J. J. English, Jr., gave a typographical curiosity in the shape of a dictionary so small that a magnifying glass is needed to read it.

Thanks were returned for all of these gifts.

Valuable Books Received.

Among the more noteworthy books received were: "English Surnames from the Parish Registers, 1601, Walton-on-Thames, 1910"; "American Government and the Constitution," by J. R. Ficklen; "Drake and the Tudor Navy," by J. S. Corbett; "Rev. Alexander Miller and Some of His Descendants," by Milo Custer; "Genealogical Memoir" (Carter family of Henrico county), by General W. G. H. Carter (presented by the author); "Calendar of State Papers, Colonial for 1700, London, 1910"; "History of Reconstruction in Louisiana," by J. R. Ficklen; "Drake and the Tudor Navy," by J. S. Corbett; "Rev. Alexander Miller and Some of His Descendants," by Milo Custer; "Genealogical Memoir" (Carter family of Henrico county), by General W. G. H. Carter (presented by the author); "Transition in Virginia from Colony to Commonwealth," by C. R. Langley (presented by the author); "Founders' Week Memorial Volume, Philadelphia, 1909" (presented by the city of Philadelphia); "Journal of the Continental Congress, Vol. XVI, 1789" (from the Library of Congress); "The Sneads of Philadelphia," by Mrs. W. B. Hatcher (presented by the author); "Minutes of Commissioners for Detecting and Defeating Conspiracies, Albany County Board," Vol. III (presented by the State of New York); "Annual Report American Historical Association, 1909," Vol. I; "Institutional History of Virginia in the Seventeenth Century," by P. A. Bruce (presented by the author); "Sectionalism in Virginia from 1776 to 1861," by C. H. Ambler; "Confederate States Almanac, 1862," and "Burke's Travels in America," Philadelphia, 1817 (the last two given by Isaac Davenport).

New Members Elected.

There were in addition a large number of other books and pamphlets and of exchanges from other historical societies.

The following new members were elected: Robert B. Moseley, Michigan; Robert Baker Peggam, South Carolina; A. Caperton Braxton, Virginia; Miss Lucile P. Stone, Virginia; R. S. Eskridge, Washington State; W. L. Crittenden, Oklahoma; H. M. Smith, Virginia; Mrs. A. J. Outerbridge, New York; William D. Richardson, Virginia; Miss Mary M. Washburne, Kentucky; Mrs. R. S. Craig, Mexico; Francis Lee Daingerfield, Virginia, and Mrs. S. A. Brooke Cartwright, Washington, D. C.

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